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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MS Amendment
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Dear Sir:

This paper is in response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed August 18, 2006. It is timely filed with a petition and fee for one-month extension of time.

This paper contains no amendments.

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